1997-98, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Corporation.

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(iii) Twenty-Second Annual Report and Accounts of the National Thermal Power Corporation Limited, New Delhi, for the year 1997-98, togethe with the Auditors Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

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Reports and Accounts (1997-98) of various Textile and Handloom Corporations Associations and Councils and related papers.

THE MINISTER OF TEXTILES (SHRI KASHIRAM RANA): Sir, I lay on the Table—

I. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under sub-section (1) of section 619A of the Companies Act, 1956:—

(i) Fifteenth Annual Report and Accounts of the National Handloom Development Corporation Limited Lucknow, for the year 1997-98 together with the Auditors' Report on the Account and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(ii) Review by Government on the working of the above Corporation.

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II. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers:—

(i) (a) Eighteenth Annual Report and Accounts of the Man Made Textiles Research Association, Surat (Gujarat) for the year 1997-98, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Association.

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(ii) (a) Forty-eighth Annual Reort and Accounts of the Silk and Art Silk Mills Research Association, Mumbai, for the year 1997-98, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts.

Review by Government on the working of the above Association.

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(iii) (a) Twelfth Annual Report and Accounts of the Export Promotion Council for Handicrafts, New Delhi, for the year 1997-98, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Council.

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(iv) (a) Fifteenth Annual Report and Accounts of the Indian Silk Export Promotion Council, Mumbai, for the year 1997-98, together With the Auditors' Report on the Accounts.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Council.

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Notification of the Ministry of Surface Transport

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (DR. DEBENDRA PRADHAN): Sir, I lay on the Table, under sub-section (3) of Sction 9 of the National Highways Act, 1956 a copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Surface Transport (Road Wing) Notification G.S.R. 417(E), dated July 31, 1998 publishing the National Highways (Amendment) Rules, 1998.

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